B-3361 - B-3370 10-46 Poultney St. (North side) Baltimore, Md. Private access 1850-1885

The eastern end of the north side of Poultney St. was the first section of the block to be developed residentially, the western side being the site of a cooperage business until the 1870's. 40-46 Poultney St. are all two story plus attic, two bay wide brick houses, built between 1850 and 1857. Only 46 Poultney St. retains its original gable roof, the roof lines of 40-44 Poultney St. having been remodeled to resemble shed roofs and bracketed cornices added. 38 Poultney St. was built in 1857 as a three story, two bay wide brick gable-roofed house, but it too now has a shed roof and bracketed cornice. At the western end of the block, the group of two story, two bay wide brick houses with shed roofs and original bracketed cornices (now gone) at 10-22 Poultney St. was built in the early 1880's by two different local builders. 24-26 and 34-36 Poultney St. are pairs of two story, gable-roofed houses built in the 1870's; 28-32 Poultney St. is a group of two story, two bay wide brick houses with shed roofs and a continuous bracketed cornice, built in 1870.

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DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This two story plus attic brick house with gable roof was built in the 1850's as part of a group of such houses extending along this side of Poultney St., between 38 and 46 Poultney. The front roof line has been remodeled to resemble a shed roof and a wooden, modillion cornice has been added.

The house is two and a half stories in height, 14' wide, and occupies a lot about 61 1/2' deep. There is a one story high, two bay deep rear addition to the two room deep house. The house is constructed in running bond. The original low-pitched gable roof has been given a false shed roof capped by a wooden cornice consisting of a deeply projecting crown molding supported by a row of modillions and set above a deep, plain freize area. There is a double rectangular chimney located along the east side of the rear roof gable. There is also a hooded rear end chimney located at the north end of the rear addition.

All of the door and window openings have segmentally arched brick lintels with solid wood tympanums. The first and second story window openings have brick header sills; the attic story windows have wood sills. All of the window openings are filled with 1/1 double hung sash. There is a glass and panel door set beneath a single light transom, both slightly recessed from the facade, ther forming a shallow entryway. The house sits on a fairly low basement, the entrance being reached by three brick steps. A rectangular coal opening is located to the right of the steps.

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BUILDER/ARCHITECT

James W. Armstrong

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

See under 38 Poultney St.

The house was built by James Armstrong, brother of William Armstrong of the firm of Armstrong and Denny, who ran the cabinetmaking and undertaker's establishment at 717 Light St. Armstrong lived in the house for a few years and then sold it to a Zaccheus Gould, a clerk. 1

¹Baltimore City Directory, 1858-9, 1860, 1864; Baltimore City Land Records, Liber GES 232, Folio 140

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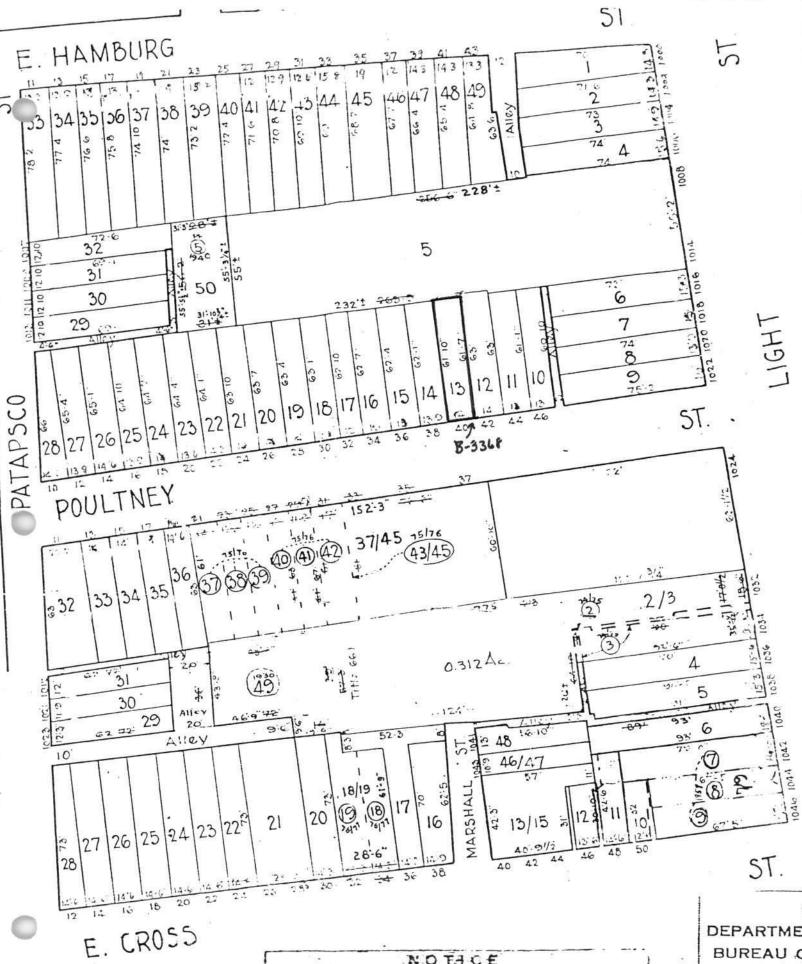
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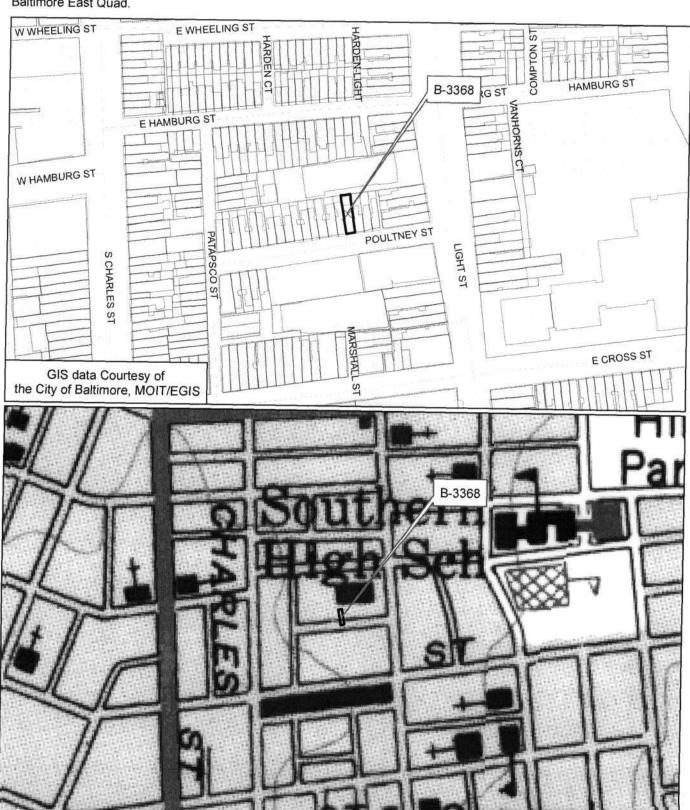
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